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BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268–0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
INBOUND E-FORMAT LETTER POST

Docket No. CP2022-58

NOTICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF THE FILING OF REVISED ATTACHMENT

(June 8, 2022)

The United States Postal Service (Postal Service) hereby gives notice of the filing of a revised attachment. With its initial Notice filed in this docket on April 29, 2022, the Postal Service filed Attachment 2, which included the Postal Service's specific self-declared per-item and per-kilogram prices for Inbound E-format Letter Post for 2023. A redacted copy was attached to that initial Notice, and an unredacted copy was filed under seal. The Postal Service explained in that initial Notice (at 3 n.9) that, when the Postal Service would notify the International Bureau (IB) of the Universal Postal Union (UPU) of its self-declared E-format letter post rates by June 1, 2022 (to take effect on January 1, 2023), it could submit its self-declared rates to the UPU either in local currency (i.e., in U.S. dollars (USD)) or Special Drawing Rights (SDR). If submitted in local currency, then the UPU IB would convert the rates into values expressed in SDR. Those SDR rates are the final rates that are circulated by the IB as rates to be applied for actual settlements in 2023.

The Postal Service submitted its rates (from Attachment 2) to the UPU IB in USD on May 31, 2022. On June 3, 2022, the UPU IB notified the Postal Service that it had re-calculated the Postal Service's rates in USD (to a greater number of decimal places) under the business rules of the Universal Postal Convention and its Regulations, but

that the resulting rates in SDR would be unchanged. In other words, the actual rates to be circulated for use in 2023 in SDR would be the same SDR rates as those calculated to three decimal places and appearing in the Postal Service's revised supplemental workpapers filed in this docket on May 6, 2022, notwithstanding the UPU IB's slight adjustment of the rates as notified by the Postal Service in USD.

Although the actual resulting SDR rates are unchanged from the workpapers already reviewed by the Commission in this docket, nonetheless the Postal Service files this Notice to create a complete record, given the UPU IB's slight adjustment of the rates expressed in USD before they were converted into the actual final SDR rates. Like the original Attachment 2, the Postal Service files the unredacted, revised Attachment 2 under seal, and incorporates by reference the application for non-public treatment filed with the initial Notice in this docket as Attachment 1. A redacted copy is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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(Revised) Attachment 2 (PRC Docket No. CP2022-58)

Inbound Letter Post Small Packets and Bulky Letters Rates Not of General Applicability for Mail Classification Schedule § 2340.6, Effective January 1, 2023¹

	Per Piece in USD ²	Per Kilogram in USD
Inbound Letter Post Small Packets and Bulky Letters, unless exception applies ³	\$ 	\$

¹ The rates in this chart are available to designated operators of member countries of the Universal Postal Union (UPU) if all conditions are satisfied as provided in the Universal Postal Convention and Convention Regulations and as further provided in the Postal Regulatory Commission's Mail Classification Schedule. These are base rates for basic services that do not include additional charges that may apply for ancillary and supplementary services, such as supplementary charges that may apply for tracking pursuant to the Convention and Convention Regulations.

² Under the Universal Postal Convention as it is currently in force, the Postal Service may submit its self-declared rates to the UPU either in local currency (i.e., in U.S. dollars (USD)) or Special Drawing Rights (SDR). If submitted in local currency, then the UPU International Bureau converts the rates into values expressed in SDR. To calculate the rates in SDR, the International Bureau now uses the average monthly exchange rate of the five-month period ending March 31 of the year preceding the year for which the self-declared rates would be applicable.

³ Exceptions to these self-declared rates may apply where terminal dues are established by the Universal Postal Convention and Convention Regulations and as applied by operation of the Convention and Convention Regulations in lieu of self-declared rates, and/or if designated operators agree upon alternative rates by bilateral or multilateral agreement. Rates for certain exceptional flows may also be supplemented by internal air conveyance charges, to the extent provided by the Convention and Convention Regulations.